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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW, Room TWB-204 Washington, DC 20554

Re: Petitions for Protection From Whipsawing on the US-Philippines Route

(IB Docket No. 03-38)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Monday, March 3, 2003, I met with Bryan Tramont in Chairman Powell's office and Scott Delacourt of the Wireless Bureau to discuss AT&T's positions in the above-referenced proceeding as set forth in its Emergency Petition for Settlements Stop Payment Order and Request for Immediate Interim Relief filed on February 10, 2003 and reply comments filed on February 27, 2003. Specifically, we discussed the positions previously taken by AT&T in its submissions in this proceeding, and reviewed AT&T's positions taken in an *ex parte* filed on March 3, 2003 regarding the concerted actions taken by Philippine carriers to increase rates and to block traffic of U.S. carriers that have resisted their demands.

One electronic copy of this Notice is being submitted to the Secretary of the FCC in accordance with Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules.

Sincerely,

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cc: B. Tramont S. Delacourt